

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8561

INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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FROM AMCONGEN ALEXANDRIA

FOR NEA/EX/DANIELSON AND FOR FBO

EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: ABLD EG

SUBJECT: REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF ALEXANDRIA  
CONGEN

1. AS AUGUST NEARS END, FAILURE TO SEE ANY FORWARD  
MION ON REPAIR AND RENOVATION, CONGEN PREMISES, PROMPTS  
THIS PERSONAL PLEA FOR ACTION. I CANNOT PIN DOWN ANY  
PERSON OR OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR THNS DELAY AND DO NOT  
WISH TO DO SO. NEVERTHELESS, FEEL THAT I MUST PROTEST  
THIS SEEMING LETHARGY.

2. I AM PARTICULARLY DISTURBED AT INFERENCE LONG, DRAWN  
OUT DECISION MAKING PROCESS PARTLY DUE TO CONGEN'S INCLUSION  
IN PLANS FOR BAR AND LOUNGE - COST LE 9,000. FOR THE  
RECORD, ON ONE REPEAT ONE OCCASION ARCHITECTS HAD  
COURTESY TO CONSULT BRIEFLY WITH ME, I FLATLY REFUSED  
THEIR ORNATE VERSION OF A STAFF LUNCHROOM. STANDING  
IN THE BASEMENT AREA, I SPECIFICALLY POINTED TO A  
SMALL ALCOVE WHERE I SUGGESTED A WORKING SPACE,  
COUNTERTOP WITH STOVE AND UNDERCOUNTER REFRIGERATOR BE  
BUILT, SINK BE INSTALLED, AND SEVERAL TABLES WITH  
CHAIRS BE PLACED.

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3. THIS POINTS OUT COSTLY WASTEFUL PROCEDURE OF

"PLANNING" FROM AFAR WITHOUT CONSULTING ULTIMATE END USER. WHAT HAS BEEN NEEDED IS RELIABLE CONTRACTOR WHO WOULD SEND IN CREW TO CLEAN DAMAGE FROM FIRE (NOT EXPENSIVE) AND NEGLECT, REPAIR BROKEN WINDOWS AND DOORS AND REPAINT INTERIOR. VERY FEW ROOMS (SUCH AS SMALL BALLROOM TO BE COMMERCIAL LIBRARY AND SMALL DRAWINGROOM TO BECOME CONGEN'S OFFICE) MIGHT USEFULLY RECEIVE ATTENTNOM OF COMPETENT INTERIOR DECORATOR AND HIGHLY SKILLED ARTISANS.

4. THE MAJOR JOB IS JUST WORK REPEAT WORK. SIGNED CHASE EILTS

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